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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98,
Applicants hereby call to the Examiner's attention the following documents:

Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. 2000-247502, which was published
on September 12, 2000, together with an English language Abstract of the same.

Applicants note that this document is discussed on pages 1 and 2 of the specification.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and
cite the same. Copies of the above-noted documents are attached and have been listed on
the attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces
on the attached Form and to return a copy of the Form to the Applicants with the next
official communication in the present application.

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application, and thus no fee is believed necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted
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statement in the mail, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any fee necessary for the consideration of this statement, including any payment under 37

C.F.R. §1.17 (p) to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully Submitted,
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